SENATE BILL 2725

By White

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 10-7-504, relative to confidential records.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 10-7-504(aa)(1), is amended by deleting the language "Photographic evidence of a fatal motor vehicle accident that depicts a deceased minor victim at the scene of the accident" and substituting "Photographic evidence depicting the remains of a deceased minor".

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 10-7-504(aa)(2), is amended by deleting the subdivision and substituting:

(2) The custodial parent or legal guardian of the deceased minor whose photograph is made confidential pursuant to subdivision (aa)(1) may waive confidentiality and allow the minor's photograph to be used and obtained in the same manner as other public records.

SECTION 3. This act takes effect July 1, 2022, the public welfare requiring it.